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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and A Passell Brian			ne and Ticl ssive Corpo		Р	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last) 6055 Parklan	of Reporting Person,					tatement for nth/Day/Year 24/03	10 X O	Director 10% Owner <u>X</u> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Group President -</u>				
Mayfield Heig	(Street) ghts, OH 44124		-				Dat	f Amendment, e of Original onth/Day/Year)	<u>C</u> 7. (C <u>X</u>	laims Individual or Check Applica Form filed by erson	Joint/Group Filing ble Line) One Reporting	
(Ci	ty) (State) (Zip)	Т	able	I Non-D	erivati	ve Seci	urities Acquired	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	3. Trans	s- Code	4. Securitie (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 Amount	es Acqu posed o	ired	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow- ing Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)	<u> </u>	6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
Common	04/23/03		$\mathbf{A}^{(1)}$		11,224	Α			11,329	D		
Common									7,324.75	I	401(k) Plan	
Common									915	Ι	By Daughter	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially **Owned**

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivativ	sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	Number	and Expiration	Amount of	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect

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Security	Exercise	action	Execution	action	of		Date		Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial
	Price of	Date	Date,	Code	D	eriva	ti (A fonth/Day/		Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership
(Instr. 3)	Derivative		if any		Se	curi	i ex ear)		(Instr	: 3 & 4)		Owned	of Deriv-	(Instr. 4)
	Security	(Month/	(Month/	(Instr.	A	quir	ed					Following	ative	
		Day/	Day/	8)	(A) or						Reported	Security:	
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										of				
										Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Restricted stock grant made pursuant to The Progressive Corporation 2003 Incentive Plan.

By: /s/ Brian J. Passell 04/24/03 By: David M. Coffey, Attorney in Fact Date **Signature of Reporting Person Date

**Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned is a director and/or officer of The Progressive Corporation, an Ohio corporation (the "Corporation"), certain securities of which are registered pursuant to Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"). The undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints Charles E. Jarrett, Dane A. Shrallow, Michael R. Uth and David M. Coffey, and each of them, my true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for me and in my name, place and stead, as my attorney-in-fact and agent, to sign any and all Forms 3, 4 and 5, or successor forms, and any and all amendments or supplements thereto, in order to report, pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Act, the number of the Common Shares and other securities (including any derivative securities) of the Corporation beneficially owned by the undersigned, or any change in the number of Shares or other securities of the

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Corporation so owned by the undersigned or in the nature of such ownership, and to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the New York Stock Exchange the required number of copies of such form or forms, or any such amendments or supplements, pursuant to and in accordance with the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the New York Stock Exchange, giving and granting unto each said attorney-in-fact and agent full power and authority to do and perform any and all acts and things whatsoever necessary or appropriate to be done in or about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, hereby ratifying and approving all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or any of them, or any such substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney on the 8th day of June, 2001.

/s/ Brian J. Passell Brian J. Passell